United States District Court Middle District of Florida Jacksonville Division

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

 \mathbf{v} .

No. 3:20-cr-90-J-32PDB

DEMARCUS DANIELS,

Defendant.

Order

The United States moves for an order requiring Demarcus Daniels to submit to a blood sample or, if necessary, allowing the Federal Bureau of Prisons to forcibly obtain a blood sample from him using the least amount of force possible. Doc. 34. The United States explains the sample will be used only to determine the presence, if any, of HIV, hepatitis-B, hepatitis C, or other bloodborne pathogens to begin any necessary preventative treatments on a staff member exposed to Daniels's blood through an accidental needle prick while administering insulin to him and to manage any exposure to others. Doc. 34 at 2–3. Defense counsel has no objection. Doc. 34 at 3.

Finding the requested relief reasonable under the circumstances, the Court grants the motion and orders the defendant to submit to a blood sample. If he continues to refuse, the Federal Bureau of Prisons may forcibly obtain a blood sample from him using the least amount of force possible. The sample may be used only for the limited purposes described.

Ordered in Jacksonville, Florida, on October 15, 2020.

PATRICIA D. BARKSDALE
United States Magistrate Judge

c: David Mesrobian, Assistant United States Attorney Mark Rosenblum, Assistant Federal Defender Lisa Call, Assistant Federal Defender United States Pretrial Services Office United States Marshal